

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
AT CHATTANOOGA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	
)	Case No. 1:18-cr-129
v.)	
)	Judge Travis R. McDonough
RICHARD ANTHONY JONES)	
)	Magistrate Judge Christopher H. Steger
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ORDER

United States Magistrate Judge Christopher H. Steger filed a report and recommendation recommending that the Court: (1) grant Defendant's motion to withdraw his not-guilty plea as to Counts One and Two of the two-count Indictment; (2) accept Defendant's guilty plea as to Counts One and Two of the two-count Indictment; (3) adjudicate Defendant guilty of knowingly possessing a firearm after having been convicted of a felony in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1) and possession with intent to distribute methamphetamine in violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C); and (4) order that Defendant remain in custody until sentencing in this matter or further order of this Court. (Doc. 22.)

Neither party filed a timely objection to the report and recommendation. After reviewing the record, the Court agrees with Magistrate Judge Steger's report and recommendation. Accordingly, the Court **ACCEPTS** and **ADOPTS** the magistrate judge's report and recommendation (Doc. 22) pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and **ORDERS** as follows:

1. Defendant's motion to withdraw his not-guilty plea as to Counts One and Two of the two-count Indictment is **GRANTED**;

2. Defendant's plea of guilty to Counts One and Two of the two-count Indictment is
ACCEPTED;
3. Defendant is hereby **ADJUDGED** guilty of knowingly possessing a firearm or
ammunition after having been convicted of a felony in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1);
4. Defendant is hereby **ADJUDGED** guilty of possession with intent to distribute
methamphetamine in violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C);
5. Defendant **SHALL REMAIN** in custody until sentencing in this matter which is
scheduled to take place on **June 14, 2019, at 9:00 a.m.**, before the undersigned, or until
further order of this Court.

SO ORDERED.

/s/Travis R. McDonough

**TRAVIS R. MCDONOUGH
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**